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EASTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON

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10 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
11 FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON

12 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

13 Plaintiff,

14 v.

15 CLIFTON FRANK PETER,

16 Defendant.

1:20-CR-2024-SAB

INDICTMENT

Vio: 18 U.S.C. §§ 1111, 1153  
First Degree Murder  
(Counts 1, 3)

18 U.S.C. § 924(c)(1)(A)(iii)  
Discharge of a Firearm During a  
Crime of Violence  
(Counts 2, 4)

18 U.S.C. §§ 1111, 1153  
Second Degree Murder  
(Count 5)

18 U.S.C. § 924(d)(1),  
28 U.S.C. § 2461(c)  
Forfeiture Allegations

17 The Grand Jury charges:

18 COUNT 1

19 On or about June 1, 2020, in the Eastern District of Washington, within the  
20 external boundaries of the Yakama Nation Indian Reservation, in Indian Country,  
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22 INDICTMENT

1 the Defendant, CLIFTON FRANK PETER, an Indian, willfully, deliberately,  
2 maliciously, and with premeditation and malice aforethought, did unlawfully kill  
3 O.V. by shooting him with a shotgun; all in violation of 18 U.S.C. §§ 1111, 1153.

4 COUNT 2

5 On or about June 1, 2020, in the Eastern District of Washington, the  
6 Defendant, CLIFTON FRANK PETER, during and in relation to a crime of  
7 violence, for which he may be prosecuted in a court of the United States, to wit:  
8 First Degree Murder, in violation of 18 U.S.C. §§ 1111, 1153, as alleged in Count  
9 1 of this Indictment, did knowingly use, carry, brandish, possess, and discharge in  
10 furtherance of the First Degree Murder, a firearm, all in violation of 18 U.S.C. §  
11 924(c)(1)(A)(iii).

12 COUNT 3

13 On or about June 1, 2020, in the Eastern District of Washington, within the  
14 external boundaries of the Yakama Nation Indian Reservation, in Indian Country,  
15 the Defendant, CLIFTON FRANK PETER, an Indian, willfully, deliberately,  
16 maliciously, and with premeditation and malice aforethought, did unlawfully kill  
17 I.G. by shooting her with a shotgun; all in violation of 18 U.S.C. §§ 1111, 1153.

18 COUNT 4

19 On or about June 1, 2020, in the Eastern District of Washington, the  
20 Defendant, CLIFTON FRANK PETER, during and in relation to a crime of  
21 violence, for which he may be prosecuted in a court of the United States, to wit:  
22 First Degree Murder, in violation of 18 U.S.C. §§ 1111, 1153, as alleged in Count  
23 3 of this Indictment, did knowingly use, carry, brandish, possess, and discharge in  
24 furtherance of the First Degree Murder, a firearm, all in violation of 18 U.S.C. §  
25 924(c)(1)(A)(iii).

## COUNT 5

On or about June 1, 2020, in the Eastern District of Washington, within the external boundaries of the Yakama Nation Indian Reservation, in Indian Country, the Defendant, CLIFTON FRANK PETER, an Indian, with malice aforethought, did unlawfully kill J.G. by shooting him with a shotgun; all in violation of 18 U.S.C. §§ 1111, 1153.

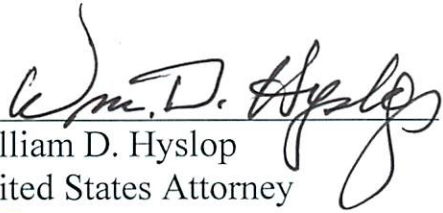
## NOTICE OF CRIMINAL FORFEITURE


The allegations contained in this Indictment are hereby realleged and incorporated by reference for the purpose of alleging forfeitures.

Pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 924(d)(1) and 28 U.S.C. § 2461(c), upon conviction of an offense(s) in violation of 18 U.S.C. § 924(c)(1)(A)(iii), as set forth in Counts 2 and 4 of this Indictment, the Defendant, CLIFTON FRANK PETER, shall forfeit to the United States of America, any firearms and ammunition involved or used in the commission of the offense(s), including, but not limited to: a 12 Gauge, Stevens Model 67. Series E, Savage Arms, Serial Number E257517

DATED: July 7, 2020

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